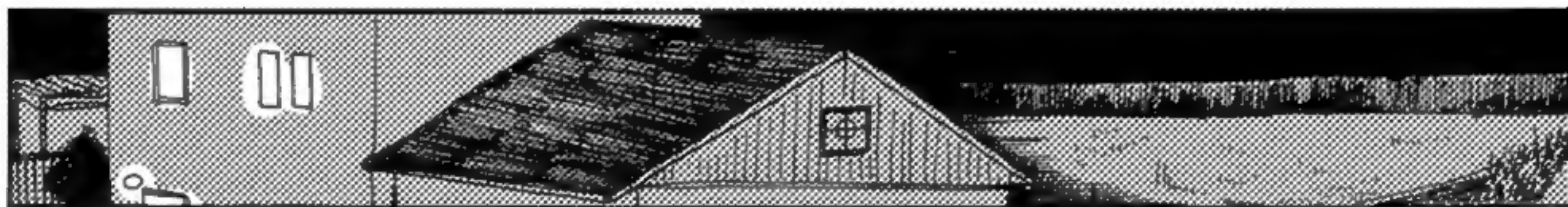




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IT'S THE LEAST I COULD DO.

YOU REALLY SAVED US BACK THERE. WHO KNEW IT'D BE THAT CROWDED TODAY.

SORRY.

...GOD, I'M BEAT.

DON'T SWEAT IT.



YOUR DAY JOB KEEPS YOU BUSY ENOUGH AS IT IS SO THERE'S NO WAY I COULD HAND YOU ADDITIONAL WORK, ESPECIALLY NOT WITHOUT PAY.

THAT'S NOT GONNA BE A PROBLEM.

I'M NOT OFFERING BECAUSE I WANT EXTRA CASH.



IMAGINE HOW TOUGH IT'D BE, HAD IT BEEN JUST THE TWO OF THEM.



HM?

SAY, NAGI.

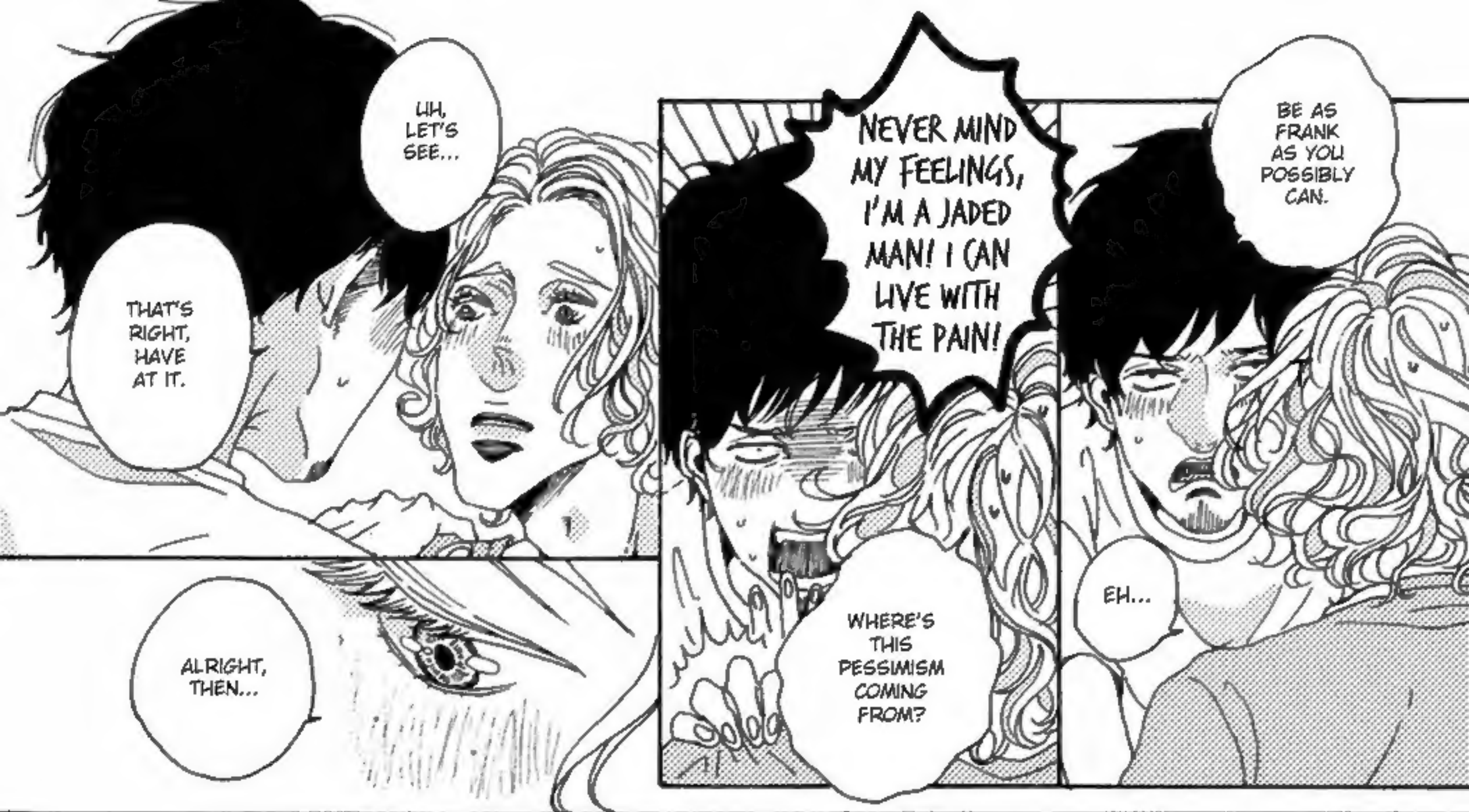


I'D LIKE TO HELP OUT AS MUCH AS I CAN FROM NOW ON.















I WANT TO  
SING FOR  
YOUR SAKE.



BECAUSE  
EVERYTHING ABOUT  
YOU FASCINATES  
ME. YOUR VOICE,  
YOUR SONGS.



IF THAT'S  
HOW IT IS...



HUH...?



MAYBE  
I SAID  
SOMETHING  
WEIRD...

!!

STANDS





THEN I'LL  
DEVOTE MY  
WHOLE SELF  
TO YOU.

GRIP





SING  
HOWEVER  
YOU WANT  
TO.



ALRIGHT.



FOR YOU...



I AM...









OK

ONE  
MORE

Tetsuta-  
kun, what's  
wrong?

CLACK

TAP  
TAP TAP

FWAP

BECAUSE  
YOU'RE  
HERE,

Thank  
you for  
waiting.

MY HEART  
BECOMES  
STEADFAST  
ONCE AGAIN.

Just  
10 more  
times.

HUFF  
PANT

HUFF  
PANT

Tetta,

Fight  
on!

WAAI

ACK!!!

IT'S  
LIKE...









YOUR VOICE  
HARMONIZES  
WITH THE  
SOUND OF  
THE SEA.

PRACTICING  
BY THE SEA  
IS NICE.

FEELS  
GOOD,  
RIGHT?

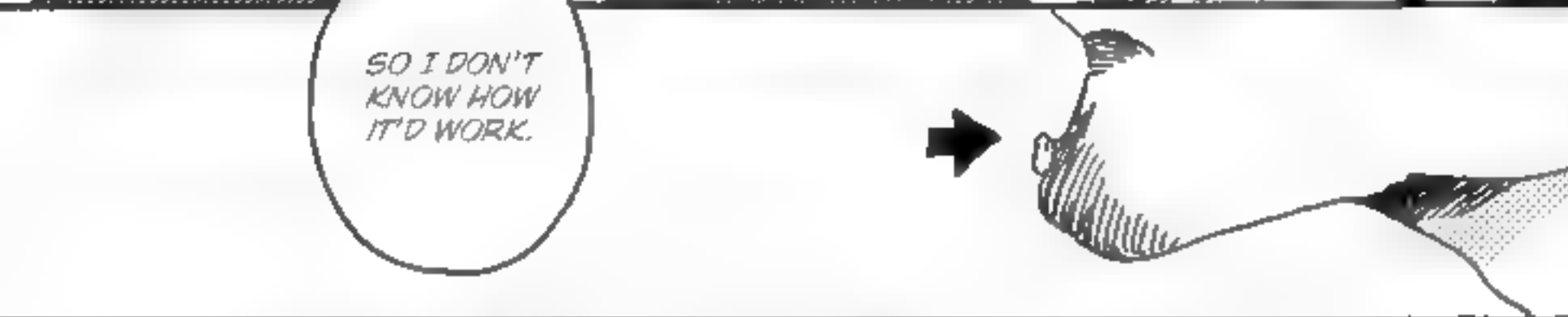
DOES IT  
NOW?



IT'D BE COOL  
IF WE CAN  
PERFORM BY  
THE SEA,



BUT I'VE  
NEVER DONE  
OUTDOORS,



SO I DON'T  
KNOW HOW  
IT'D WORK.



... YOU  
COULD TRY  
SHAVING,  
Y'KNOW.  
JUST A  
SUGGES-  
TION.



THERE'S  
RICE ON  
YOUR  
BEARD.



SAY...





AROUND  
THE AGE OF  
WHAT...?  
HOW OLD  
ARE YOU  
ANYWAY?



I NEVER  
TOLD YOU?!  
I'M TWENTY-  
FIVE.



I'M WELL  
AROUND  
THAT AGE  
WHERE I'D  
WANNA GROW  
A BUSHY  
BEARD...

YOU  
THINK THE  
BEARD'S  
WEIRD?

NO, BUT...



ba-thump

OH...  
OKAY.

DID YOU  
JUST...  
EAT IT?

WASTE NOT,  
WANT NOT.



YOU  
DIDN'T ASK  
EITHER.

YOU  
WELCOMED  
YOURSELF TO  
OUR HOUSE  
EVERYDAY AND  
YOU'RE ONLY  
ASKING NOW?

BUT I'VE  
BEEN MEANING  
TO ASK...

THE FIRST  
TIME WE MET,  
I THOUGHT  
WE WERE THE  
SAME AGE.

AND  
YOU?!



YOU'RE  
OLDER...

BY ONLY  
A YEAR,  
ALRIGHT.



I'M  
TWENTY-  
SIX.

NOT A HUGE  
GAP LIKE WE  
THOUGHT.



WELL, THAT'S  
KINDA HOW IT IS  
FOR ME, TOO.





WHEN  
WE FIRST  
MET,



THE  
BEARD'S  
GOTTA  
GO...



DO YOU  
REMEMBER?

I TOLD YOU  
THAT I LIKED  
STARING AT  
THE SEA.



TRUTHFULLY...  
I HATED IT.




UNTIL  
THAT  
DAY...

whoosh  
whoosh  
whoosh

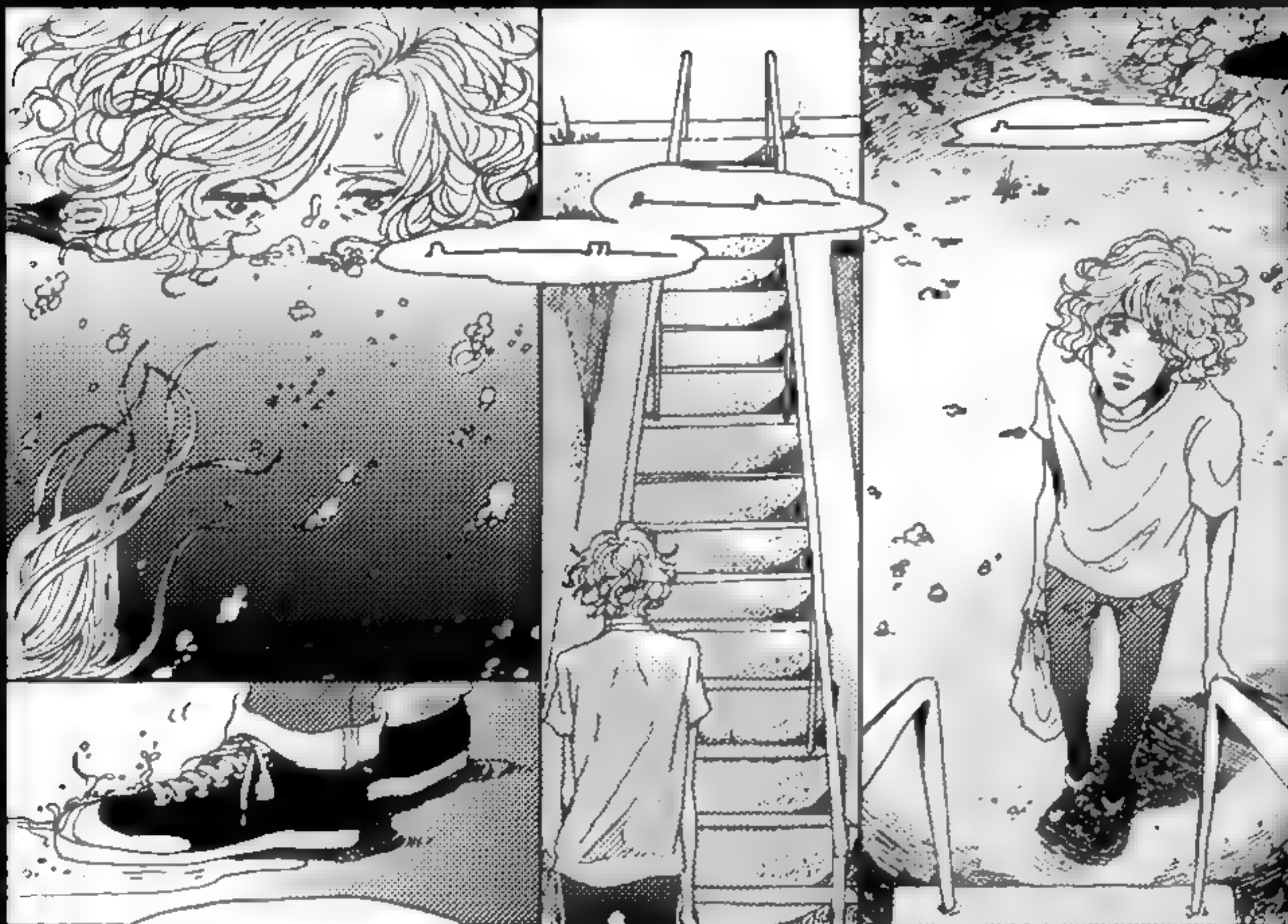


OH, YEAH...  
IN THE PAST,  
HE...

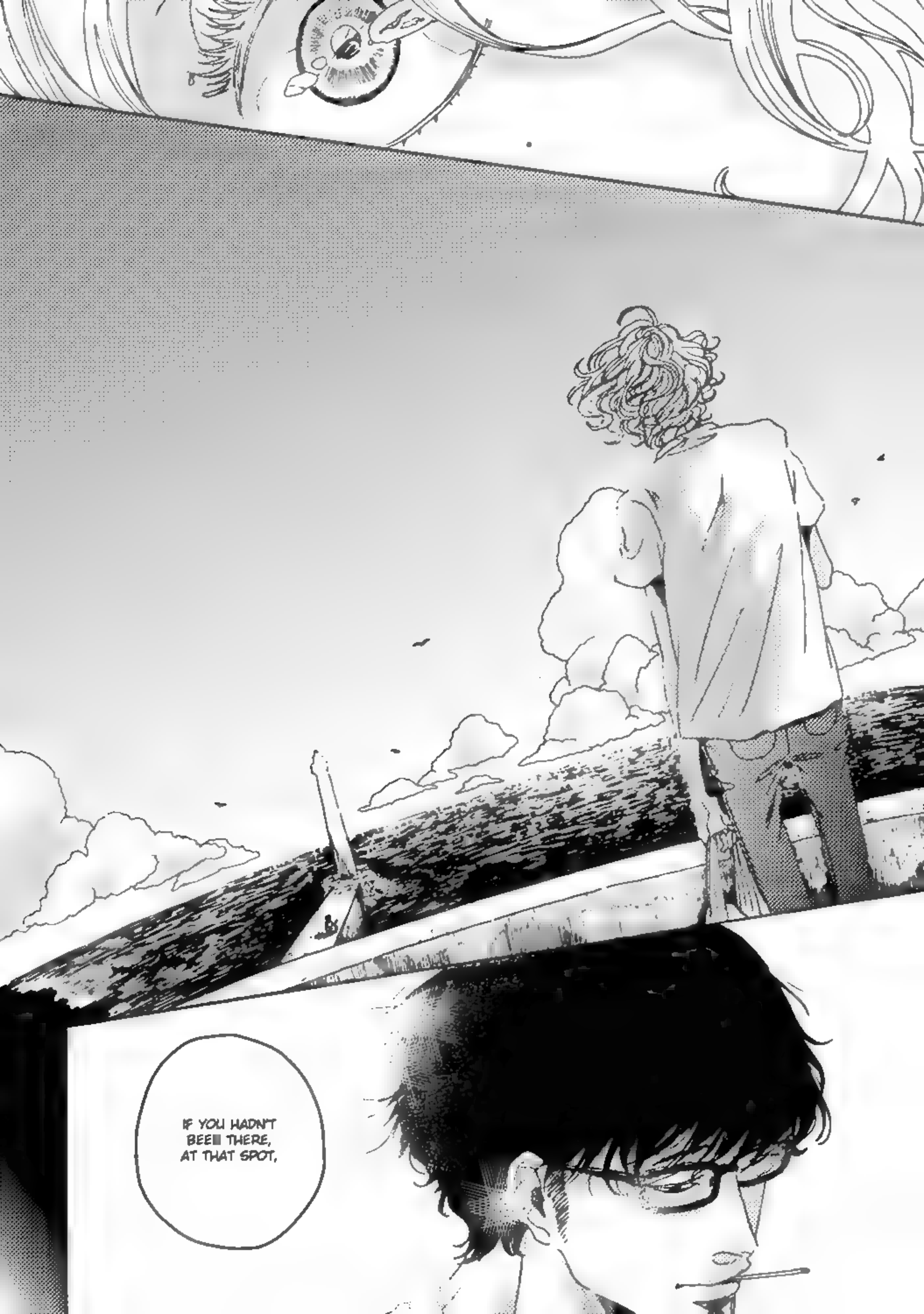




THE DAY  
THE SOUND OF  
YOUR GLITAR  
REACHED ME.







IF YOU HADN'T  
BEE■ THERE,  
AT THAT SPOT,









TRUE,  
BUT  
STILL...



IT MIGHT  
BE TOO BIG  
A HURDLE...

DO IT  
ONCE AND  
SOONER  
OR LATER,  
YOU'LL  
GET USED  
TO IT.

I WANT  
PEOPLE TO  
HEAR IT AS  
SOON AS  
POSSIBLE,  
BUT THE  
VENUE...

THINK  
YOU CAN  
DO IT IN THE  
STREETS?

ARGH...



SFX: WHOOSH

WAIT!

NAGI  
I'LL GET  
IT!

AH-HA!









WELL...



IT'S ABOUT NAGI...

I WANT YOU TO PROMISE ME ONE THING.



YES?

KAMASH

TETSUTA-KUN.



I DON'T MIND YOU GOING NEAR THE SEA, BUT PROMISE ME YOU WON'T LET HIM ENTER THE WATER.



AH...



I WASN'T THINKING AND INSENSITIVELY BROUGHT HIM THERE. I'LL TRY NOT TO FROM NOW ON.

I'M SORRY.

I SEE... NAGI MAY BE OKAY WITH IT NOW, BUT THAT'S CLEARLY NOT THE CASE FOR HIS FATHER...







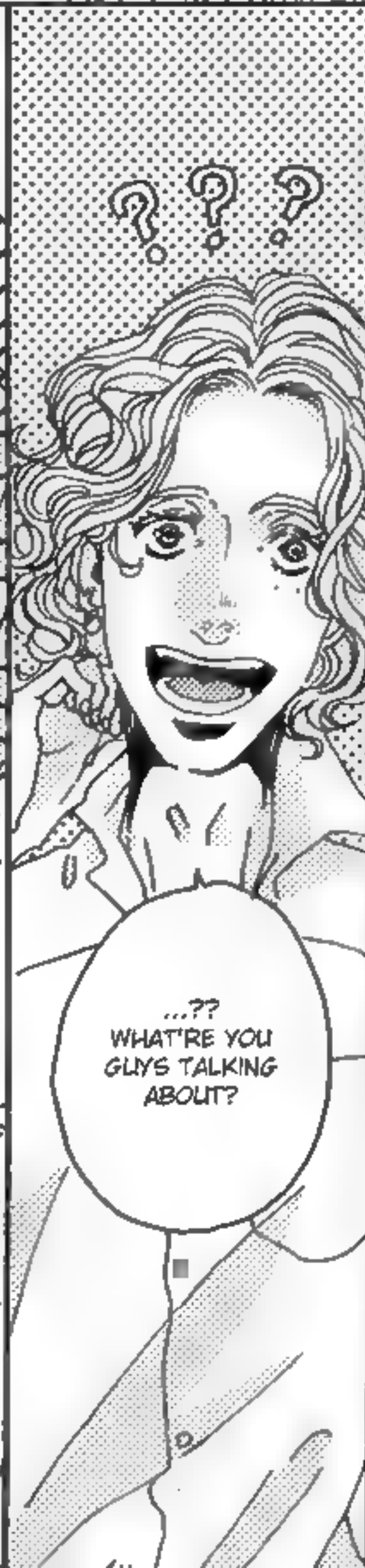
IN THAT CASE,  
WHY DON'T  
YOU USE THIS  
PLACE?

I'D ALSO  
FEEL BETTER  
IF NAGI  
PERFORMED  
HERE, INSTEAD  
OF SOME  
UNKNOWN  
PLACE.

BESIDES,  
I THOUGHT IT'S  
NOT GOOD TO  
HAVE YOU HELP  
AROUND AND  
GET NOTHING  
IN RETURN.

WE'VE  
THANKFULLY  
HAD AN INCREASE  
IN CUSTOMERS  
LATELY, SO IT'S  
A GREAT CHANCE  
TO ADVERTISE.

I  
MEAN...







thunk!



TETSUTA.

WHAT'RE  
YOU SNEAKING  
AROUND HERE  
FOR?

thock

WHOA!!!



whirr

whirr

whirr



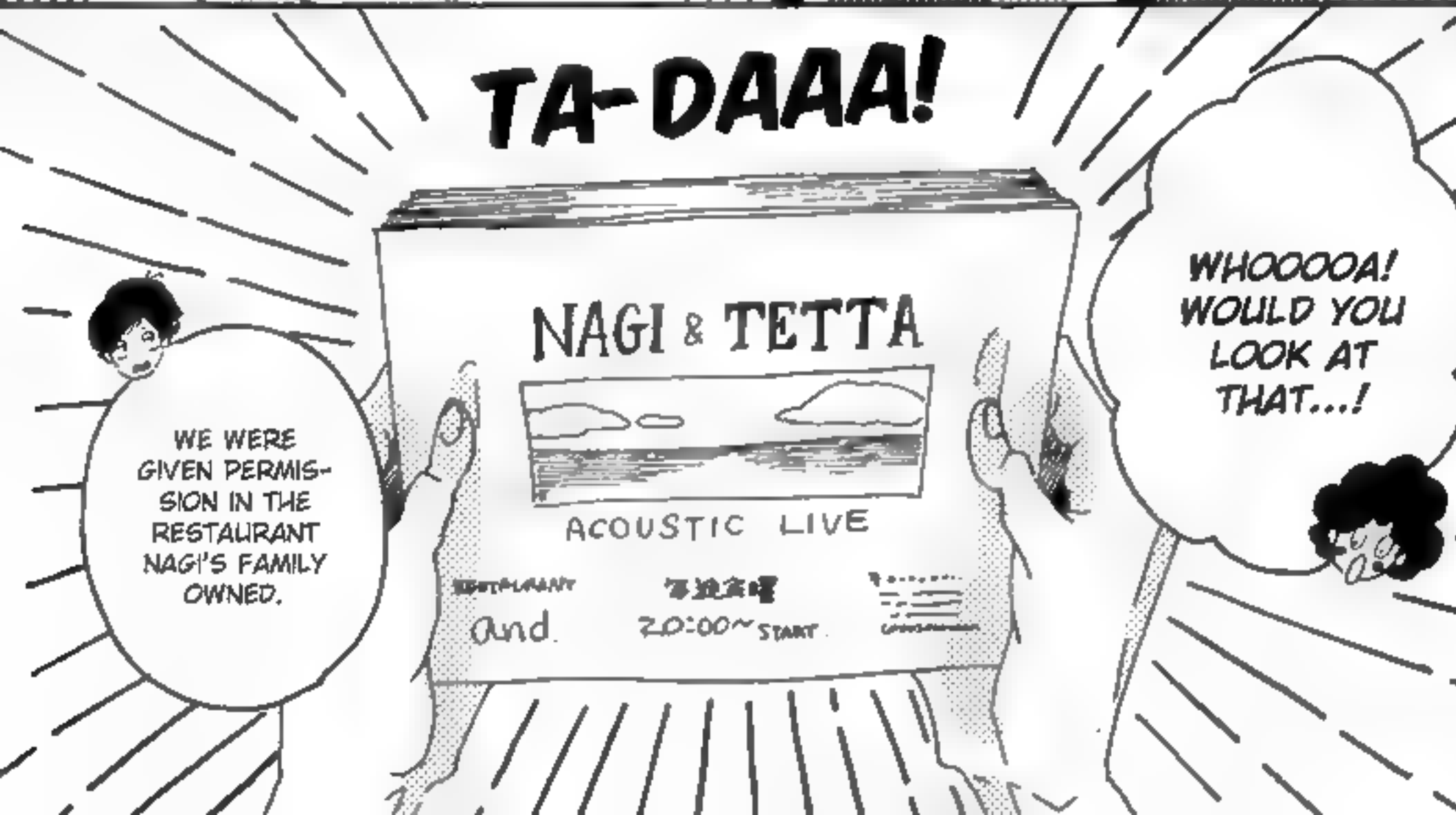
SO  
WHAT'S  
THIS?

YOU REALLY  
SPRING OUT  
FROM THE  
MOST UNEX-  
PECTED OF  
PLACES.

WELL,  
THIS  
IS...

WHO-

**TA-DAAA!**



NAGI & TETTA



ACOUSTIC LIVE

RESTAURANT

and

客観音

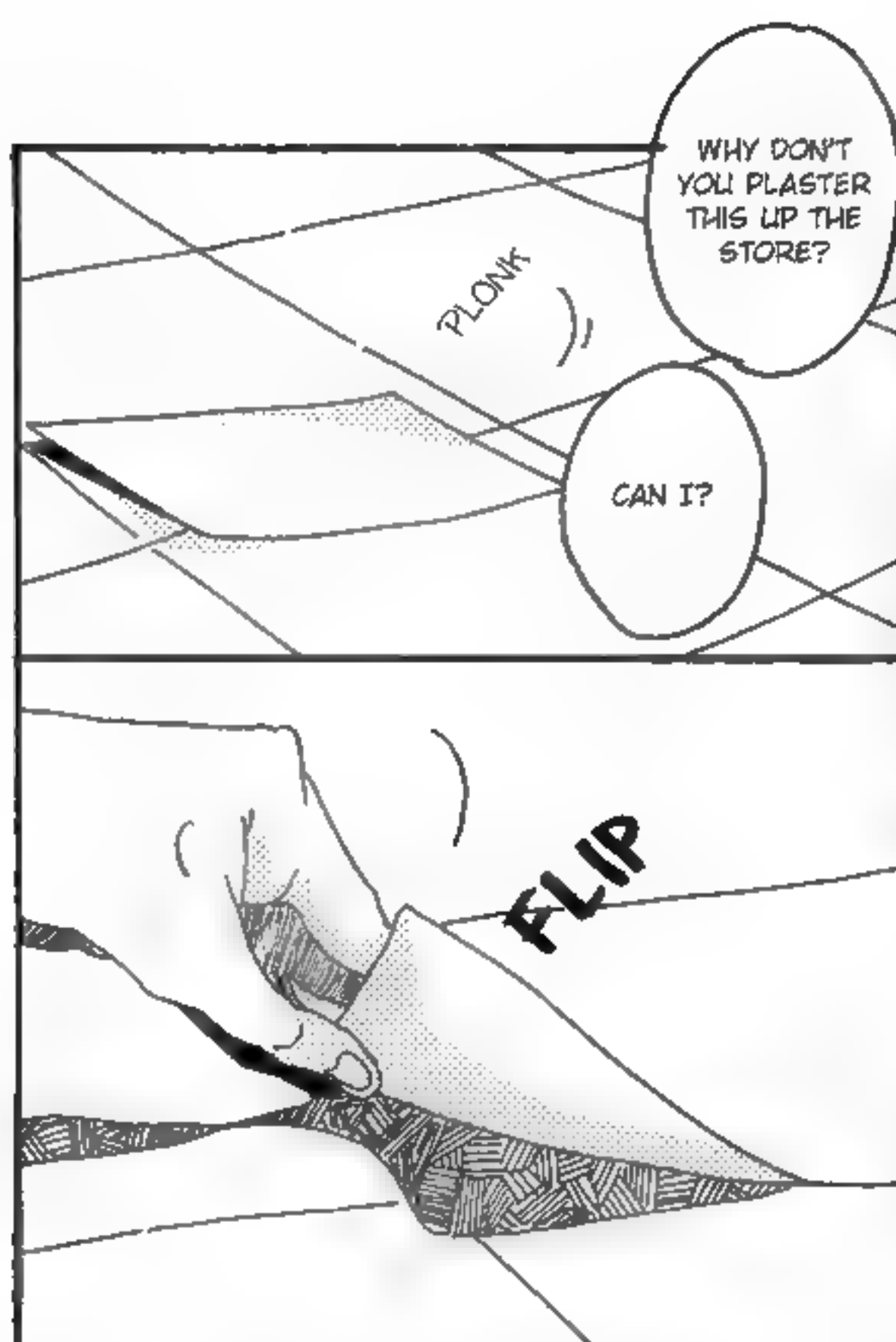
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WHOOOOA!  
WOULD YOU  
LOOK AT  
THAT...!

WE WERE  
GIVEN PERMIS-  
SION IN THE  
RESTAURANT  
NAGI'S FAMILY  
OWNED.













I WONDER IF  
SEKI TOLD HIM  
ABOUT THAT  
MATTER WITH  
ME...

BUT THE  
OPPORTUNITY  
DIDN'T PRESENT  
ITSELF...

I HAD  
INTENDED  
TO COME  
BY,

THE  
PLEASURE'S  
MINE.



YOU DON'T  
HAVE TO BE  
SO ILL AT  
EASE.

HE  
ALREADY  
KNOWS  
THE FACTS  
OF LAST  
TIME.

YEAH,  
YEAH.

... UMMM...  
I'M NOT  
SURE...  
WHAT TO  
SAY...



I'M JUST  
THRILLED YOU'RE  
DOING MUSIC AGAIN,  
TETSUTA-SAN.

**MY  
SINCEREST  
APOLO-  
GIES FOR  
DECLIN-  
ING YOUR  
REQUEST!**

HIT HIM!  
HE DE-  
SERVES A  
PUNCH OR  
TWO!

DID'YA  
CATCH THAT,  
TETSUTA?

I CAN'T  
POS-  
SIBLY...



PLEASE  
PAY IT NO  
MIND.

IT WAS  
A SELFISH  
REQUEST ON  
MY PART.





THANKS.

YEAH...



BYGONES. MORE  
IMPORTANTLY, I'M  
LOOKING FORWARD  
TO YOUR PERFOR-  
MANCE.



OKAY,  
THEN.  
KANADE,  
WOULD YOU  
PLEASE...

ANYWAY, LET'S  
GET DOWN TO  
BUSINESS. FIRST  
OFF, LET'S HAVE  
YOU SIGN THE  
PANELS.

HE IS AS WELL-  
MANNERED AS THEY  
SAY... AND NOW I  
GUESS I CAN EXPECT  
TO SEE HIM AT THE  
SHOW...



CRAP,  
I CAN'T FIND  
THE OIL-BASED  
MARKER!

I REMEMBER  
USING IT TO  
PLACE AN  
ORDER...

RIGHT  
ABOUT  
HERE...

HEY...





NO, IT'S FINE. YOU WATCH OVER THE HOUSE.

OKAAAY.

DO YOU NEED ME TO COME?

WE'RE ALMOST OUT OF LEMONS, SO I'M GOING OUT TO BUY SOME.



NAGI!

RUSTLE  
RUSTLE



YEAH, THANKS!



WHILE I'M AT IT, I'LL TRY ASKING IF I COULD LEAVE THIS THERE.







VAGI & TETTA



CAW  
CAW



LYRICS,  
HUH...



LONDON

EXCUSE ME.







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